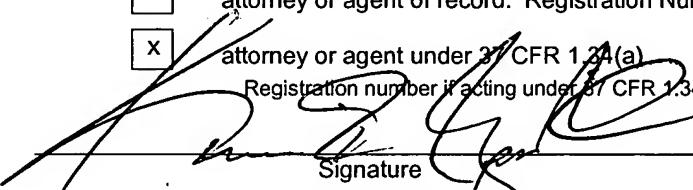


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2005 (fees effective on or after October 1, 2004)		Docket Number (Optional) 449122071100
Application Number 10/802,037		Filed March 17, 2004
For METHOD FOR OPERATING A MEASURING PROBE FOR MEASURING A GAS CONCENTRATION		
Art Unit 1753	Examiner	Not Yet Assigned
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.		
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):		
<input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	Fee \$110.00	Small Entity Fee \$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$430.00	\$215.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$980.00	\$490.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1,530.00	\$765.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2,080.00	\$1,040.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 03-1952. I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. Fee Transmittal form (PTO/SB/17) is attached to this submission in duplicate.		
I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor. <input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). <input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number _____ <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a) Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____		
 Signature _____ Kevin R. Spivak _____ Typed or printed name _____		
43,148 _____ December 3, 2004 _____ Date _____ (703) 760-7700 _____ Telephone Number _____		
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.		
<input type="checkbox"/>	Total of 1	forms are submitted.

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